



P.S.E.D

We will be learning about celebrating differences, showing respect for people's similarities and differences, as well as looking at what it means to be unique. We will also be talking about different feelings, what these are called and how people feel when they are experiencing these.

LITERACY

In phonics we will learn the graphemes: /ff/ /ll/ /ss/ /j/ /v/ /w/ /x/ /y/ /z/ /zz/ /qu/ /ch/ /sh/ /th/ /ng/ /nk/. We will also learn to read new tricky words: as, and, has, his, her, go, no, to, into, we, me, be. This term we will be reading stories including; 'Whatever Next' and 'The Gingerbread Man'. We will be making story maps, following the sequence of beginning, middle and end.

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

We will share our own experiences of bonfire night celebrations and talk about fire safety. We will be finding out what it is like in space and learning about the planets. We will be finding out about Diwali and learning about how people celebrate this festival. We will also be learning about Christmas celebrations through stories, role play and songs.

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

As part of our 'Talk for Writing' work we will be retelling stories using story language as well as listening to and responding to different stories. We will be taking part in discussions as well as understanding how to listen carefully and why this is important.

LET'S CELEBRATE!

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

We will be developing our fine motor skills with our finger challenges, so we can hold our pencil and form our letters correctly. Our focus in PE will be movement and travelling we will be using our imagination to move in different ways, creating balances as well as working on changing direction and speed.

MATHEMATICS

We We will be identifying representations and exploring the composition of numbers between 1 and 5. We will also be mark making to represent numbers too. We will also be looking at 2D shapes, starting with circles and triangles, and then moving onto shapes with 4 sides.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

We We will start the term learning about bonfire night, creating firework pictures. We will explore pattern when learning about Diwali, creating our own Rangoli patterns. We will also be listening to and responding to different styles of music.



